

HIGGINS IS  
RE-ELECTEDBut Likely to Be Republican  
Lieutenant-Governor

## IN RHODE ISLAND STATE

Governor Guild Re-elected by Great Plurality, While John B. Moran Also Won Out in Suffolk County—Other Results.

The latest reports today on the elections throughout the country yesterday show that Governor Higgins, Democrat, was re-elected in Rhode Island, with the Republicans carrying nearly everything else, including the office of lieutenant-governor; New Jersey is still in doubt, but with today's returns favoring John Franklin Fort, Republican, for governor; in Pennsylvania, Sheatz, who leads the Republican ticket for state treasurer, elected by a large majority, probably 175,000; in New York state, Independence League candidates for judges of the court of appeals defeated; Noel, Democrat, elected governor of Mississippi; in Kentucky, Democrats likely to have carried the state; senatorial primaries in Maryland favoring former Governor Smith; Mayor Tom Johnson elected for the fourth time in Cleveland over Burton, who might be considered as the administration candidate; Nebraska in the Republican column by 12,000.

HIGGINS' MAJORITY  
PLACED TODAY AT 2,420Waterhouse, Republican Candidate for  
Lieutenant-Governor, Probably  
Elected Over Sisson.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 6.—While Governor Higgins, Democrat, has been re-elected by 2,420 votes, probably he will have a Republican lieutenant-governor. With one district missing the vote for lieutenant-governor stands: Waterhouse, Republican, 32,460; Sisson, Democrat, 31,160. The rest of the Republican ticket was elected by pluralities ranging from 4,900 to 6,000. The Republicans will control the general assembly by a large majority, and be able to elect a United States senator. In 1906, Higgins had 1,318 plurality.

## NEBRASKA STANDS PAT.

Will Remain in the Republican Column by 12,000.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 6.—Nebraska will stay in the Republican column by about 12,000, according to estimates made this morning.

ELECTION RETURNS  
FROM VARIOUS STATESMassachusetts Elected Governor Guild,  
While Moran Pulled in as District  
Attorney Easily.

New York, Nov. 6.—Elections held throughout the country yesterday passed off in comparative quiet. The returns from various sections show the following results:

Massachusetts re-elected the entire Republican state ticket headed by Gov. Curtis Guild, jr. Henry M. Whitney, the Citizens-Democratic candidate for governor, polled a much heavier vote than Charles W. Bartlett, the anti-merger Democrat.

New York state elected Edward T. Bartlett and Willard Bartlett, joint candidates on the Republican and Democratic tickets, for justices of the court of appeals, over the candidates of the Independence League (Hearst). New York elects its Tammany candidates by considerable majorities over the Independence League-Republican fusion candidates.

In Pennsylvania, Sheatz, who heads the Republican ticket for state treasurer, is elected by a large majority, estimated at 175,000. In 1906 the plurality of Stuart, a Republican candidate for governor, was 48,335.

In Maryland, the county returns indicate that ex-Governor Smith wins in the senatorial primaries.

In Kentucky, Wilson, Republican candidate for governor, is making gains, but there is doubt as to whether he will carry the Democratic majority of 1903.

In Mississippi, the election of Noel, Democratic candidate for governor, is assured, as he has no opposition.

At San Francisco the Union Labor candidate is showing unexpected strength. At Salt Lake City, the American, or anti-Mormon party, is leading.

At Toledo, Mayor Whitlock is re-elected.

## GUILD'S BIG VOTE.

Republican Governor in Massachusetts Re-elected.

Boston, Nov. 6.—Gov. Curtis Guild was re-elected for a third term by a total vote of 182,032, with two cities missing. These cities, Brockton and Malden, gave Guild last year a total vote of 6,812.

Henry M. Whitney, the Democratic candidate, was defeated by over 100,000 votes. Guild's plurality on the above basis being 100,363. Thomas L. Higgin, candidate of the Independence League, was a close third, while Gen. Charles W. Bartlett, who ran on an anti-merger ticket, was a poor fourth. Whitney's vote without the two cities was 81,699. Higgins' 72,651. Bartlett's 10,982. The state legislature remains unchanged, although the Republicans made a slight gain in both branches.

Two Suffolk county officials, District-Attorney John B. Moran, the Independence League candidate, and Sheriff Fred

H. Seavey were re-elected, the former by 20,000 plurality and the latter by about 3,000. The total vote of the state was slow in being counted, owing to the large number of candidates for governor, and it was a late hour before the majority of the districts reported.

## MORAN'S VOTE.

Re-elected By 27,820 Plurality Over  
Walter A. Webster.

Boston, Nov. 6.—Complete returns from Suffolk county show that District-Attorney John B. Moran was re-elected by 27,820 plurality over Walter A. Webster. Moran received 30,345 votes, Webster 28,725, and Joseph A. Dennison, 17,932. The vote of the city of Boston was: Moran, 46,325; Webster, 29,137; Dennison, 16,832. Sheriff Seavey, r. was re-elected, receiving 49,274 to 25,349 for James Donovan, d. Seavey's plurality is 10,525. Arthur W. Dolan was elected register of probate by a plurality of 1,790. Arthur W. Dolan, the mayor's former private secretary, and formerly president of the common council, defeated Montague for register of probate. He is the only representative of the Democratic machine to win for a county office.

ELECTION DAY RIOT  
SEVERAL WERE SHOTClyde Campbell Killed at Lexington,  
Kentucky, a Patrolman Probably  
Fatally Hurt and Two  
Others Hurt.

Lexington, Ky., Nov. 6.—In an election day riot here yesterday afternoon Clyde Campbell was killed, Patrolman Michael Murphy probably fatally wounded, and Patrolman Marion Smith and W. R. Campbell, Clyde's father, severely wounded.

The elder Campbell, who was a Republican candidate for councilman, was arrested after he had protested against what he termed election frauds.

There is some difference in reports as to the details of the shooting. Thomas A. Knight, who saw the tragedy, said that in a large crowd at a voting place he saw Murphy struggling with W. R. Campbell. When the struggle seemed nearly over young Campbell ran up and struck Murphy in the face. Murphy turned and killed Campbell in the stomach. Campbell then ran out on East High street while Murphy continued toward the police station with his prisoner.

A little later young Campbell came running up to Murphy with a revolver, demanding that he turn his father loose. Just then Patrolman Smith arrived and as young Campbell turned to see the officer Murphy struck him three times over the head with his club. Young Campbell dropped to his knees, and as he did so the elder Campbell shot Murphy in the back. Smith then drew his revolver and shot old man Campbell. Murphy staggered up against the side of the building and continued to fire shooting several times. He was still using his pistol when he was struck by another bullet, apparently fired by young Campbell. Murphy had fallen, but he got up and staggered to where young Campbell was struggling with some one who had caught him. Murphy leaned over, placed the muzzle of his pistol within a few inches of young Campbell's body, took deliberate aim and fired.

JOHNSON'S PLURALITY  
IN CLEVELAND 9,313Elected Mayor of City For the Fourth  
Time, Defeating Congressman  
Burton Yesterday.

Cleveland, Nov. 6.—Tom Johnson was elected mayor for the fourth time by a completed plurality of 9,313. Congressman Burton was his opponent.

## FUSION LOST IN NEW YORK.

Foley Defeated Ihmsen in New York  
Election Early.

New York, Nov. 6.—Sufficiently complete returns to make certain the ultimate results show that Republican and Independence League fusion in New York county was defeated yesterday by the straight Democratic ticket; that the Independence League ticket for associate justices of the court of appeals was overwhelmingly beaten by the identical tickets of the Republicans and Democrats and that there will be a slight change in the make-up of the state assembly.

In this city the Independence League ticket was defeated 4 to 1 and the league vote up state was light.

In this city interest centered in the county ticket in which the Republicans and Independence League forces opposed the Tammany ticket. James W. Gerar was elected to the supreme court by a wide margin over M. Linn Bruce. Thomas F. Foley defeated for the sheriff's office the fusion candidate Maximilian F. Ihmsen, who is also a prominent in the Independence League. Early returns gave Foley a big lead, but this was later scaled down till 700 of the 833 election districts in the county showed a margin for the Democratic candidate of 25,000.

Edward T. Bartlett and Willard Bartlett, nominated by both Republicans and Democrats for court of appeals chosen over Reuben R. Lyon of Bath, a former Bryan Democrat, and John T. McDonough of Albany, a former Republican, both of whom were nominated by the Independence League.

The election was unusually quiet and the vote light. There were a considerable number of arrests for illegal voting, but in most instances the defendants were discharged.

TAFT'S BOOM GETS  
A SEVERE SETBACKBy the Result of Cleveland's Mayoralty  
Election—It Is Admitted in  
Washington Administration  
Circles.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 6.—The results of the elections were received by the administration with entire equanimity. As the issues involved were only

EX-GOV. ODELL  
DIED TODAYFormer Chief Executive of  
New York State

## SUCCUMBED TO OPERATION

Complications Developed from an Attack  
of Pleurisy—Difficult Operation  
Performed by Dr. Erdman  
Yesterday.

Newburg, N. Y., Nov. 6.—Ex-Governor Benjamin R. Odell, jr., died at his home here today, following an operation for pleurisy. Serious complications devel-



BENJAMIN R. ODELL, JR.

oped yesterday, and Dr. Erdman was called from New York. He performed an operation. He placed a tube in his side to drain off the pus which had formed from the pleurisy which Mr. Odell had been suffering for the past three weeks. No anesthetic was given to the patient, who bore up well under the operation. He rested more comfortably after the operation.

## SHOT THREE FARMERS.

A Pennsylvania Gunner Did Great Ex-  
ecution While Hunting.

Lancaster, Nov. 5.—Frank McConnell, a gunner, shot three Coleraine township farmers yesterday. John Himes and William and John Kunkle, who were passing along a public road, unobserved by McConnell. They received the contents of both barrels of his gun, fired at a rabbit. All were shot in the head. Kunkle's condition being most serious. Besides other injuries, one of his eyes was destroyed.

## HITCHCOCK NOT ON BOARD.

Detectives Searched the Majestic on Ar-  
rival in England.

London, Nov. 6.—Raymond Hitchcock was not aboard the liner Majestic, which arrived here today. Detectives met the vessel at the dock and made a thorough search.

## BOURKE COCKRAN ARRESTED.

Charged With Illegal Voting But Was  
Soon Released.

New York, Nov. 6.—Congressman W. Bourke Cockran was arrested on a charge of illegal voting yesterday afternoon at a polling place in 3rd avenue.

The policeman who made the arrest said he could not verify the address given by Mr. Cockran at 310 East 17th street, at which address Mr. Cockran had registered.

The congressman was taken to the police station and thence to a police court.

Mr. Cockran is grand sachem of Tammany hall. A servant at the East 17th street house had sworn that no one named Bourke Cockran lived there and Magistrate Cornell issued the warrant while under the impression that some one was trying to vote on the congressman's name.

When Mr. Cockran was arraigned in court one of State Attorney Gen. Jackson's assistants denounced the arrest as an outrage and Mr. Cockran was promptly discharged.

Mr. Cockran said the East 17th street house was his residence before he went to congress, and that he had never forfeited his right to vote from that address.

"When I registered," he said, "I told the inspectors who I was and explained the entire situation. I was not charged when I registered nor today. I fail to see on what authority this arrest was made."

## FAVORS REPUBLICANS.

Although Result in New Jersey Is in  
Doubt Today.

Jersey City, N. J., Nov. 6.—The state election is in doubt. The latest reports tend to favor Fort, Republican, for governor.

MILLIONAIRE'S SON  
ELOPES WITH NURSEClifford L. Heinz Married to Miss Vir-  
ginia Campbell at New Haven, Conn.  
—His Father Is Quite Anxious  
Over It.

Pittsburg, Nov. 6.—Clifford L. Heinz, youngest son of H. J. Heinz, the millionaire pickle manufacturer, has eloped with and married Miss Virginia Campbell, a trained nurse, according to report received here last night from New Haven, Conn.

The young man's father said he was greatly shocked at the news, and that he knew nothing whatever of the reported runaway marriage.

"I hope it is not true," he said. "I do not know the lady and have never heard of her. Several times we had the services of trained nurses, but I must confess that I do not know the names of any of them. If my son contemplated such a step, I believe he would have told me of it."

H. J. Heinz was one of the prominent exhibitors at the horse show here last week, and his son handled the string of horses for his father.

After the exhibition on Thursday, Clifford went to New York, where he has a sister, Miss John L. Heinz, at West End avenue and 104th street.

Mrs. Given, in answer to a communication, said Clifford Heinz had left there on Saturday morning, since which time he has not been seen by his relatives.

Advices from New London say both young Mr. Heinz and his bride gave their ages as 22. When Mr. Heinz, it was told this, he admitted that was his son's age. The affection between the father and younger man, in fact, has often been remarked in Pittsburg. Clifford was to have gone to the Jamestown exposition yesterday with his father.

H. J. Heinz is one of the wealthiest men of Allegheny county, his fortune being rated at \$10,000,000. He is one of the most prominent officers of the State Sunday School association. An equally he goes abroad to attend the international congress of Sunday school associations.

WANTED HIS BODY  
SENT TO RUTLANDArchie Butterfield, Aged 18 Years, At-  
tempted Suicide in Concord, N. H.,  
Early Last Evening.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 6.—Archie Butterfield, 18 years of age, attempted suicide early last evening by taking a dose of chloroform at his boarding place on Center street. He was taken to the City hospital, where his chances of recovery are thought to be very doubtful. The young man worked at the Concord dye-house, and the cause of his act is not known.

He left a rambling note addressed to a sister, requesting that his body be taken to Rutland, Vt. for burial. Very little is known of the young man here.

## FIRES STILL PURSUE HIM.

E. M. Bartlett of Island Pond Has Suf-  
fered Five Since May Last.

Island Pond, Nov. 6.—Fires continue to pursue E. M. Bartlett, whose business is in the lumbering line. He has suffered five fires since May last. The department was called out at noon to extinguish a car of hay owned by him and last night there was a fire in his grist mill caused by a hot box. The loss was not great in either case. Mr. Bartlett has suffered five fires to property here and in Norton since May 1.

## EIGHT REPORTED DEAD.

And 22 Injured in Boiler Explosion at  
Kiel Today.

Berlin, Nov. 6.—Eight are reported killed and 22 injured in a boiler explosion on the German school ship Blucher at Kiel.

## PLAINFIELD.

Mrs. W. H. Marr spent Saturday at  
Clinton Center.

W. E. Bartlett recently purchased a new driving horse.

F. N. Nutting was home over Sunday from Barre where he is at work.

Mrs. Maggie Daniels of Montpelier visited at George Bolles' recently.

Mrs. F. S. Page and son, Fred, of Marshfield were in town Saturday.

Mrs. Clarence Gladding of Barre visited her father, Clinton Cutler, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gray of Barton Landing spent Sunday at Rev. P. B. Fick's.

Mrs. C. E. Barnes of Burlington spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Leavitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hill of St. Johnsbury are at his parent's, John Hill's for a few days.

Mrs. Lena Pitkin of Barre and Earl Kiser of Montpelier visited relatives in town Sunday.

M. K. Kelley is negotiating for the property owned by Mrs. Margaret Hodgdon, on School street.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wright are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter, born Thursday, October 31st.

Mrs. Arthur Colburn returned to Montpelier Monday after spending several weeks in town with relatives.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church are to serve a chicken pie dinner and supper in the vestry November 8th.

Mrs. Mahala Kinney returned to Massachusetts Saturday after spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Shorey.

Haloween parties were in order last week. One was given Thursday evening by the Grammar school and one Friday evening by the high school. Pleasant evenings were reported by both schools.

While driving on School street Friday afternoon H. E. Cutler accidentally ran over Ryland Parker, who was playing in the street. No serious injury was sustained and Ryland is able to be in school now.

NO MYSTERY  
ABOUT JOSEPHHe Simply Picked Up and Got  
Out of Hospital

## WHEN HE GOT READY TO GO

Canton, Month's Patient at the City  
Hospital, Had a Great Many People  
Concerned Over His Disap-  
pearance.

Joseph Canton, who has been a patient at the City hospital for nearly a month, walked out during the afternoon yesterday and was not located until this afternoon. Mr. Canton had been suffering from the effects of a fall down stairs a month ago. He was a boarder at Charles Bellville's in upper Graniteville, and on or about Oct. 31 on being called from his room to dinner, he came out and stumbled, falling down a full flight of stairs, striking on his head.

Dr. Avery of East Barre was called and on October 7 the doctor notified Overseer of the Poor T. W. Hoark that he was a case for the town to look after, recommending that the man be sent to the Barre hospital. He was brought down in an ambulance and since his stay in the hospital had been steadily improving, so that yesterday he was able to be up and dressed. Overseer Hoark came down yesterday afternoon to see Canton, who told him that he expected to go to his home in Graniteville the first of the week. He also told Mr. Hoark his legal residence was in Starkboro.

Soon after Mr. Hoark left the hospital a nurse went into see Mr. Canton and found he had disappeared. No one saw him go out nor which way he went.

Mr. Hoark spent all this forenoon in a search for Canton, and this afternoon got trace of him through the police. Canton, he learned, had applied to the Barre police, and was given lodging there over night, leaving this forenoon to return to Graniteville. So the mystery about his sudden leave of the hospital is thus cleared away. It was thought that he had wandered away during a temporary aberration of mind. He had the town of Barre authorities, the hospital people and a good part of Graniteville stirred up over his disappearance. Meanwhile, he was enjoying life as only a convalescent man can.

## CABOT.

P. A. Pike has another carload of feed  
at Walden pond.

Johnny Clifford returned from Boston Saturday.

Florence and Bennie Coates have whooping cough.

George Crosby of Boston is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Benjamin Winslow.

Ruth Conant is at work at Walter Perry's.

H. H. Foster was in Richmond Saturday.

Mrs. Ina Rogers went to Enosburg last Saturday to visit friends.

Burge Marsh of Plainfield was a guest at Paul Lewis' daughter of Dr. P. L. Templeton of that city, were married yesterday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by James Mackay as justice of the peace. The groom is a granite cutter and they will reside at 96 Railroad street.

## YOUNG MEN ENTERTAINED.

At The Baptist Church Last Evening  
Several Interesting Talks.

The entertainment given by the Men's Baraca class of the Baptist church at the church parlors last evening was well patronized considering the weather. The program opened with the entire company singing "My Country 'Tis of Thee," followed by a duet by W. D. Kidder and William Ingels, which was heartily applauded.

F. R. Spaulding of Cleveland, Ohio, then gave a brief address on young men in different places and their conditions and means of improvement. This was followed by an address by the teacher of the class, Rev. William E. Braisted, who spoke on ideal brotherhood, Braister spoke on the value of ideals, followed by the kind of ideals and their relative value.

The speaker said that brotherhood must be universal or it becomes mere caste. Ideal brotherhood involves the idea of giving rather than getting. Selections were given during the evening by Batchelder's orchestra of four pieces.

## BODY PLACED IN VAULT.

Following Funeral of Mrs. George Rich-  
ardson Yesterday Afternoon.

The funeral services of Mrs. George C. Richardson, who died Saturday morning at the Mary Fletcher hospital, was held at her late home, corner of Hill and Washington streets, at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. Rev. Francis A. Poole officiated and singing was furnished by a mixed quartette. Chief of Police David Faulkner and Patrolmen Frank Hamel, George Carl and Harry Gamble acted as bearers.

The remains were placed in the vault at Elmwood cemetery, as final arrangements have not been made for the interment.

DEFINED A "PIRATE"  
FOR THE JURYMENAs One Who Grants or Holds a Liquor  
License—Slow Progress Being Made  
in Case of Joseph Bianchi in  
County Court.

The trial of Joseph Bianchi on the charge of using a revolver some two weeks ago as Italian picnic June 23 last, promises to be such a long drawn-out affair that this term of Washington county court will very likely be a record-breaker. Up to this morning but four witnesses had been heard, and the last of the quartette, Peter Bianchi, was on the stand when court resumed this morning. There are about a score yet to be heard on the part of the state, and nearly as many for the respondent.

Those who have been on the stand thus far are Angelo Truba, L. Cassi, E. Gusperli and Bianchi (Peter). The principal development of the trial yesterday afternoon was the definition of the word "pirate," a familiar one with Italians. The witnesses testified that a "pirate" is one who grants and holds a liquor license, sells to the poor man and then kicks him into the street when the poor man gets drunk. The witnesses considered Bianchi and all holders of liquor licenses were "pirates," nor were the mayor of Barre and the police.

Peter Bianchi testified as to the trouble at the picnic, saying that he saw the respondent, Joe Bianchi, and Sassi talking together, they walked apart, a shot was fired and he then saw Bianchi lying on the ground, surrounded by a crowd. Asked if he was in the crowd, the witness replied that he wasn't, preferring to keep out of trouble.

## HOWELL-BEACH.

Binghamton, N. Y., Young Man Marries  
Young Lady in Barre.

At three o'clock yesterday afternoon occurred a quiet but very pretty wedding at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Beach, 73 Long street, when their daughter, Margie Beach, was united in marriage to Clyde Madison Howell, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Howell of Hector, N. Y. The single ring service was used, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. W. E. Braisted, pastor of the Baptist church, in the presence of the immediate relatives.

The couple were unattended. The bride was attractively gowned in white silk, trimmed with val lace insertion, and she carried a beautiful bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley. The rooms were appropriately decorated with evergreens. After the ceremony, light refreshments were served.

Mr. Howell is a rising young broker, being in partnership with E. R. Barnes of Binghamton. The bride has been a popular "hello" girl in the Barre and Montpelier exchanges. Mr. and Mrs. Howell were the recipients of many useful and elegant presents, including articles of painted glass, silver and jewelry. The bride wishes to thank the members of the Baptist choir, of which she has been a member, for the beautiful choir which will serve as a reminder of the many happy hours spent together.

Mr. and Mrs. Howell left on the 5:47 train to spend a short wedding trip in Albany, Rochester and other points, after which they will be at home at 99 Carroll street, Binghamton. They have the best wishes of a large number of friends for a long, happy and useful life together.

## A HIGH SCHOOL ROMANCE.

Ruth L. Templeton of Montpelier Is  
Bride of Harold E. Barney.

Harold E. Barney of Berlin and Miss Ruth L. Templeton of Montpelier, daughter of Dr. P. L. Templeton of that city, were married yesterday at Glover by the Rev. A. W. Hewitt of that village. Mr. and Mrs. Barney graduated from the Montpelier high school last June, and the friendship formed during the last years of their school life culminated happily yesterday.

NICE VEIN OF GRANITE  
DISCOVERED IN GROTONA. L. McLeod Has Been Prospecting and  
Has Been Meeting With Good Suc-  
cess—Operations Are to Begin  
at Once.

A large ledge of dark granite has been discovered in Groton by A. L. McLeod, a well-known quarryman in the Barre industry, who has been prospecting about the former place. The stone is pronounced to be a superior quality, with a supply practically inexhaustible, free from streaks and stripes, two great handicaps about Groton granite heretofore. The quality is uniform, as fast-cutting stone, showing marked contrast in the hammer, polished and lettered surfaces. It is expected that a stock company will be formed to quarry the stone for the monumental trade, and Mr. McLeod will begin operations at once.

## DIED IN PHILIPPINES.

Corp. H. A. Congdon of Rutland in Army  
Nine Years.

Rutland, Nov. 6.—Word was received here yesterday of the death at Manila October 24 of Corporal H. A. Congdon, son of H. E. Congdon of this city. The deceased had been in the United States army nine years and at the time of his death was serving in Company E, 2nd infantry. He leaves besides his father, four sisters and one brother in this city.

Programme for Ladies of Clan Gordon  
'Fair.'

The persons taking part in the farce, "My Aunt's Heiress," at the Ladies of Clan Gordon fair in Hale's Pavilion on Thursday evening, are as follows:

Mrs. John Smith.....Miss Christina Rea  
Anna Maria.....Miss Barbara McDonald  
Jemima.....Miss Anna Summers  
Sophia.....Miss Lucy Grant  
Arabella.....Miss Celia Downer  
Matilda.....Miss Margaret Thompson  
Clementina.....Miss Margaret Smith  
Jane.....Miss John Smith

Mrs. Alexander McCourcy Smith.....  
.....Miss Margaret Beattie  
Mrs. Betsey Brown, Miss Helen Johnson  
Sibbels, servant to Mrs. John Smith.....  
.....Miss Ina Patterson

The programme for each evening will be as follows:

Thursday, piano solo, Miss Mary Walker; opening address by A. S. Bird; farce, "My Aunt's Heiress."

Friday evening, a musical and literary programme, to be announced later.

Saturday evening, piano solo; farce, "Murder Will Out."

Dose prize each evening.

HAPPENINGS  
AT CITY HALLTime For Paying Water Rent  
Ended Last Night

## LEAVING BALANCE OF \$970

Water Office Has Received Over \$12,000  
for Half-yearly Rental—Other Auc-  
tion Sales of Real Estate  
Postponed for Few Days.

The time for paying the semi-annual water rentals to the city water department closed last night, and the superintendent, O. C. Russell, and Miss La-Bounty, the assistant, had a busy day of it yesterday, as there is always a big rush on the last chance to pay before the ten per cent. additional is charged up. They received during that day alone \$3,500, bringing the total collections for the six months ending October 1 up to \$12,074.74. This amount is irrespective of the meter rentals that are paid quarterly. But they are not large. Supt. Russell figured up the unpaid bills today, and found that there is \$970.84 to be collected, an amount a trifle larger than usual. Of this sum, the city schools owe nearly \$300. The other city bills were paid.

The sale by the city of the A. Thomas property at the corner of North Main and Merchant streets, which was advertised to be held today at nine o'clock to satisfy an assessment of \$21 for mass-aging Merchant street, was postponed to Saturday morning at nine o'clock by Constable Nichols.

There was one Main street property assessed for street betterment, which was not included in the injunction served yesterday on the city. That was the W. H. Gl